Tyngsborough Sewer Commission Meeting Minutes October 23, 2014 6:00 pm

Location: Tyngsborough Town Hall, Inspectional Dept.

Commissioners Attending:

Also Attending:

Jeff Hannaford (JH), Brian Martin (BM), Fred Perrault (FP)

Paul Provencher, Assistant Superintendent

Rosemary Blacquier & Jack Troidl, Woodard & Curran

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Jeff Hannaford at 6:04 PM.

Item 1) Citizen's Time

None

Item 2) Phase I West

Discussion regarding:

CY 2015 SRF application: approved project list should be released in December

MassWorks grant: RB believes it was not approved due to STM vote Conservation filing:revise pages and resubmitted for hearing 10/28

If SRF is awarded betterment would not change due to calculations were based

on 2015 estimated construction costs

Number of projects looking to connect now that Phase I is on hold, including 2 40B's and an office building. In addition, Bridgeview Condos and 32 Progress

Ave aka 4 Trader Circle.
Build out vs maps and GIS.
Phase II & III, Lowell capacity
Force main vs gravity line, E-1 pumps

Directionally drilling under the river vs crossing the bridge, there is currently no

place for flow to go cost of plan copies

developer cost of laying infrastructure vs paying prevailing wage

Pumpkin Patch and Sycamore properties collaborating to pump a pump station

in according to plan specs Charles George flow

FP arrived at 6:20pm

Tyngsborough Commons: Walter Eriksen, Scott Eriksen, Applewood

Construction Corp, Terry Flahive, Princeton Properties

Interested in getting copies of the Phase I West plans to be able to begin work for Tyngsborough Commons to construct the pump station and force main to current design. Has a signed P&S for the Sycamore property. Darryl Wickens is planning to construct a new 100k s.f. Building on part of the Sycamore parcel. Also has 2 others interested in subdividing and building.

Discussion regarding:

Working with Dennis Page to construct the pump station

approximate flow requested would be 60-80k gal per day for entire project.

Largest flow expected to come from residential portion, 192 bedrooms either 1 or 2, not sure yet about configuration.

WE: Tie in fee per bedroom?

JH: per regulations fee calculated based on number of units.

NOI filing

Additional Phase I West plans for office

Item 3) **Rick Reault** Unable to attend meeting

Item 4) Administrator's Report Read into record

Minutes 8/28, 9/11:

Motion by FP to approve minutes from 8/28/14 and 9/11/14 as amended.

BM: 2nd 3-0-0

Item 5) **Superintendent's Report** Read into record

Item 6) Correspondence None

Item 7) Complaints None

Item 8) **New Business** None

Item 9) **Old Business** Bridgeview Condominiums: Kevin Riney

Discussion regarding:

Reduction of the application fee.

Administrator researched and did not find any precedence.

JH felt \$250 per unit was too high, wanted to look at commercial rate.

RB from W&C advised to be careful in setting precedence in reducing fees because in MGL 183A, residential condominiums are considered per unit for all

scenarios.

Future connections and application fee reduction requests.

Motion by BM to charge the commercial rate per floor as per Section 1.1.4 of the Sewer Assessment and User Charge System due to the floods in 2006/2007 and a higher interest rate now being charged on the covenant.

FP: 2nd 3-0-0

Item 10) **Adjournment Motion by FP** to adjourn at 9:00 pm.

2nd: BM

Motion passes 3-0-0